

Table 16 A. Community Services by Social Characteristics: Households with Satisfactory Public Transportation, Satisfactory Fire Protection, Satisfactory Police Services, and Satisfactory Health Services: 1998

(Numbers in thousands)

Characteristics	Total Households	Satisfactory transportation*	Satisfactory fire protection**	Satisfactory police services**	Satisfactory health services**
		Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent
All households					
Total	102,652	77.4	98.4	93.7	91.3
Age of householder					
15 to 29	12,686	81.4	98.3	91.7	89.8
30 to 44	34,628	77.5	98.3	93.2	90.9
45 to 64	33,549	76.0	98.2	93.2	90.9
65 or older	21,788	77.1	99.0	96.5	93.3
Sex of householder					
Male	56,448	77.0	98.5	93.9	91.5
Female	46,204	78.0	98.3	93.4	91.1
Race of householder					
White	86,272	76.6	98.6	94.2	91.3
Black	12,474	82.2	97.4	90.9	91.4
Other	3,906	81.5	97.1	92.7	90.5
Ethnicity of householder					
Hispanic	8,794	83.6	99.1	93.3	91.6
White non-Hispanic	78,219	75.8	98.6	94.3	91.3
Household structure					
Non-family alone	28,005	79.8	98.9	94.5	92.6
Non-family with others	3,647	80.4	99.0	93.4	91.5
Married, no children	27,345	75.0	98.5	94.6	91.4
Married with children	26,955	76.8	98.4	93.8	90.8
Unmarried, no children	5,804	77.6	98.3	93.1	92.0
Unmarried with children	10,896	78.2	96.9	89.6	88.4
Householder disability					
Disabled	9,720	73.3	97.4	89.2	86.1
Not disabled	92,932	77.9	98.5	94.2	91.8
Health insurance coverage					
Not insured	20,451	76.8	97.7	90.9	88.8
Insured	82,201	77.6	98.6	94.4	91.9
Housing tenure					
Home owner	68,632	75.2	98.4	94.1	91.5
Renter	34,020	81.9	98.4	92.9	90.8

* Households reporting that they don't use public transportation were included with those who were satisfied with public transportation.

** Universe excludes households (less than one percent) that did not live in their home long enough to be able to answer the question.

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